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(54) Process for preparing addition polymerization catalysts via metal center oxidation.

(57) Addition polymerization catalysts comprising a derivative of a Group 4-8 metal compound prepared by metal center oxidation.

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